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FY 03/04 Summary Report Reminder

September 30, 2004, is the deadline for submitting the Single Fee Summary Report 2, Inspection Summary Report 3, and Enforcement Summary Report 4 for FY 03/04. Any questions can be directed to Bridget Binning at (916) 327-9557. Copies of the forms and instructions are available on the Unified Program website publication page. <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/CUPA/Publications/#CUPAtoState>

California Performance Review

The California Performance Review's (CPR) report on reforming and revitalizing state government has been delivered to Governor Schwarzenegger and has been posted online for public review. There are proposed changes in the CPR related to the structure and functions of California State government, and some of these changes will apply to the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) and the Boards, Departments, and Offices (BDO) within Cal/EPA. For more information visit Cal/EPA's website. <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/CPR/>

Staff Change

At the end of July 2004, Kathleen Harvey retired from State service and is no longer with the Unified Program Section. Projects have been reassigned as follows:

Data Steering Committee support – Bridget Binning
US EPA IT Grant – Bridget Binning and Anie Wilson
Rural CUPA Reimbursement Account – Anie Wilson
Forms and Data Committee (TGIF) – Bridget Binning
Title 27 Regulatory Update Committee – Denis Karidis
Central California Regional Forum – Larry Matz
Strategic Plan – Tina Gonzales
UPAAG logistics – Tina Gonzales

2005 Conference Postcard

The 7th Annual Unified Program Conference will be held February 7-10, 2005, at the Sheraton Universal in Universal City. The theme is CUPA: Universal Issues. Additional information is available on the CUPA Forum Board's website. <http://www.calcupa.net/conference/2005/index.html>

Cal/EPA Basic Inspector Academy

The next training session is November 1-5, 2004, in Sacramento. For more information visit CalEPA's website. <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/Enforcement/Training/#Basic>

State Water Resources Control Board

UST Training Requirements

Two new items have been posted on the UST training page: Designated UST Operator Flyer and Summary of Existing and New Requirements.

http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/ust/training/new_trng_reqmts.html

Outreach Sessions to Discuss New Leak Prevention Regulatory Requirements

UST staff will conduct outreach sessions. Tentative schedule is as follows:

- 1) First meeting/session: Northern California (Redding area) on 9/8 or 9/9
- 2) Second meeting/session: Bay Area (Santa Clara) on 9/14
- 3) Third meeting/session: Central Valley (Fresno) on 9/16
- 4) Fourth meeting/session: Southern California (Irvine/Orange) on 9/28 or 9/29

Northern California UST-Technical Advisory Group Meeting & Inspector Workshop

The next meeting is scheduled for:

Tuesday, August 17th, 2004

10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Cooperative Extension- Sacramento County

4145 Branch Center Road

Sacramento CA 95827-3898

(916) 875-6913

Technical sessions from 10-12 will cover Beaudreau Electric's "System One" continuous vacuum monitoring system (LG-113 Listed) and Greg Young with Vaporless to present on "Leak Detector Shutdown System ISM 4080" and "Leak Detector Testing Unit LDT-890."

The Unified Program Section is interested in your comments and suggestions regarding the newsletter. Please provide comments and suggestions to Anie Wilson at (916) 327-9559 or awilson@calepa.ca.gov.

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